

SYLLABUS DE COURS

Public Goods/Private Goods: Value and Ownership

Diplôme, Mention, Spécialité	M1 PIECE
Université, composante	INSPÉ – Université de Bourgogne Institut Denis Diderot
Unités d’enseignement	UE ? (Cours)
Title of the course	Goods/Private Goods: Value and Ownership
Teacher	Véronique Parisot (MCF)
Objectives	<p>Law organizes the world by distinguishing between appropriable and non-appropriable goods. This categorization is not natural; it is rooted in a legal and social history in which, with the emergence of capitalism, the process of patrimonialisation progressively transformed collective or inaccessible resources into private or public property. This course aims to explore this construction, its legal instruments, and its boundaries through three main areas. First, the legal patrimonialization of the world and its restrictions, particularly regarding privacy, the integrity of the human body, and personal image rights. Second, the reinforcement of appropriation brought about by technological progress and its corollary: the expansion of intellectual property rights (copyright, neighboring rights, designs and models, patents — especially in relation to living organisms).</p> <p>Finally, the application of this distinction to cultural goods, which move between the categories of private and public property, generates growing tensions between market logic and the preservation of common heritage. These tensions have been heightened by the emergence of the notion of national treasures, prospects for the restitution of looted cultural property, and the need to protect intangible cultural heritage.</p>
Total number of hours :	7 CM

Assessment methodology

Course coefficient	1
Weighting	Continuous assessment
Assessment methods (Final exam, Oral presentation, Case study, etc.)	Class participation and final exam

Teaching methods and learning activities

Teaching methods and learning activities	Lecture course with video viewing
Learning activities	This is a lecture-based course; practical components are delivered by a different instructor.